In Loving Memory of

Mrs. Inez Hill

June 7, 1919 - February 27, 2004

Service Held On

Thursday, March 4, 2004
11:00 am

Providence Baptist Church
314 South 12th Street
Richmond, California 94804

Reverend Byron Keels, Officiating

Obituary

On 7 June 1919, Inez Matthews was born to the late Elizabeth and Julius Matthews in Monroe, Louisiana.

She married Louis R. Hill, Sr., on October 12, 1940 in Monroe, Louisiana. The family moved to California in 1950 and united with Providence Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Rev. W.L. Lebeaux in 1951. Louis and Inez Hill were married for 50 years. He preceded her in death in August 1990.

Mrs. Hill leaves to cherish in her memory, nine children, Yvonne Hill, Ruby Smith, Barbara Hill, Louis R. Hill, Jr., James Hill, Jerry Hill, Terrie A. Miller, Ernest Hill, and Renee Hughes. Mattie Hill preceded her in death in 1968. Four daughter-in-laws, Cheri Hill, Shelia Hill, Patrice Hill, and Carol Hill; two sisters, Ola Mae Reid and Virgie Alexander; two brothers, J.B., and Frank Matthews, however, Mildred Hester, Henrietta Smith, and Robert Matthews preceded her in death. One son-in-law, Daniel C. Miller, 19 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren and a host of cousins, nephews, nieces, and friends.

Mrs. Inez Hill loved spending time with her children, many family members and friends. She enjoyed and had a deep passion and love for children and gospel music.

One Hundred and Twenty First Psalms

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh even from the Lord, which made heaven and earth. He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: he that keepeth thee will not slumber. Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep. The Lord himself is thy keeper; the Lord is thy shade upon thy right hand. The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night. The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil: he shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore.

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I AM FREE

Don't grieve for me for now I'm free
I'm following the path God laid for me
I took His hand when I heard Him call
I turned my back and left it all

I could not stay another day
To laugh, to love, to work or pay
Tasks left undone must stay that way
I found that peace at the close of day
If my parting has left a void
Then fill it with remembered joy
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss
Ah yes, these things I too will miss

Be not burdened with times of sorrow
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow
My life's been full, I've savored much
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch

Perhaps my time seemed all too brief
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief
Lift up your heart and share with me
God wanted me now, He set me free

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Order of Service

OFFICIATING MINISTER
Rev. M. T. Johnson

PROCESSIONAL

SCRIPTURES
Old Testament, 23rd Psalms, Rev. M. T. Johnson
New Testament, St. John 14, Rev. Fred Brown

PRAYER
Rev. Fred Brown

SELECTION
Fred Jackson

RESOLUTION
Church Clerk

POEM
Phenomenal Woman by Maya Angelou
Terri Mathis

EXPRESSIONS
Daniel Miller
Levi Hill, Jr.

SELECTION
Kingdom Travelers

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CARDS & CONDOLENCES
Ruby Jackson

OBITUARY
Dakarai J. Miller

SELECTION
Kingdom Travelers

EULOGY
Reverend Byron Keels

RECESSIONAL

Interment
ROLLING HILLS MEMORIAL PARK
Richmond, California

Active Pallbearers

Levi Hill Jr.
Larry Hill
Leonard Hill
Lawrence Hill
Lamont Hill
Demetric O. Miller

Honorary Pallbearers

Jack Mathis
Maurice Lewis
Deacon James Battle
Wesley Carney
Darius C. Miller
Oscar Hartwell, Jr.

APPRECIATION

In our hour of sadness we wish to acknowledge with deep gratitude, the generous outpouring of love, sympathy and consolation we have received from you, our friends. You have given us something that is real and meaningful to sustain us in our loss. God bless you.

– The Hill Family

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